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Squeezed by Sanctions, Iraqis Struggle to Keep Hunger and Fear at Bay

By Caryle Murphy Washington Post Service BAGHDAD — Shortly after sundown one night last week, the skies of this capital were streaked with anti-aircraft tracer bullets as people screamed in the streets below and gunfire erupted. But this time Baghdad residents were rejoicing, not covering.

Retaliation On Bush Plot Will Await Court Verdict

By Douglas Jehl New York Times Service WASHINGTON — The Clinton administration will postpone a decision about whether to retaliate against Iraq for its apparent sponsorship of an assassination plot against former President George Bush until Kuwait completes its trial of the suspects in the case.

U.S. to Seek Wider Role For NATO in Bosnia Skies

Christopher Will Ask The Alliance to Help Protect 'Safe Havens'

By John M. Goshko Washington Post Service LUXEMBOURG — Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher will seek agreement by the North Atlantic Treaty Organization to join with the United States in providing air protection for United Nations peacekeeping forces in Bosnia, a senior U.S. official said Tuesday.



In an interview broadcast Tuesday on French television, Christian Didier showed reporters how he shot René Boussquet.

Justice Denied: Killer Aborts Vichy Trial

By Alan Riding New York Times Service PARIS — René Boussquet, a prominent official in France's collaborationist Vichy regime who was facing charges of crimes against humanity for deporting Jews to Nazi death camps during World War II, was killed Tuesday by a lone gunman at his home here.

Ease Up on Rights, Japanese Urge U.S.

The Associated Press TOKYO — An influential group of Japanese scholars and business executives said Tuesday that the United States should stop pressing human rights issues in developing Asian countries.

Japan Bristles at Trade Targets, Vowing to Reject American Plan

By Andrew Pollack New York Times Service TOKYO — Japanese officials said Tuesday that they would reject new proposals for trade relations made by the United States because they included numerical targets for reduction of Japan's trade surplus and for increasing exports of specific products.

Will California Be Divided Into 3 Parts?

By Jerry Gillam Los Angeles Times Service SACRAMENTO, California — For the first time in more than 130 years, the state Assembly will consider a measure that could lead to dividing California into separate states.

Last June, voters in 27 of 31 Northern and Central California counties voted in favor of cutting the state in two.

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Muslims drive Croatian soldiers and civilians from the strategic city of Travnik in Bosnia-Herzegovina. Page 4.

French, British, Russian and Spanish foreign ministers, the United States agreed to a plan for creation of such areas, popularly called "safe havens," as part of a new effort to achieve a settlement of the civil war between Bosnia's Serbian, Muslim and Croatian factions.

But the Clinton administration reiterated its refusal to send any U.S. ground troops to Bosnia as part of the operation. Instead, the United States said it would use its air power to provide cover for UN forces guarding the safe areas if these forces come under attack by the Bosnian combatants.

Mr. Christopher justified the U.S. refusal to get involved on the ground by arguing that U.S. policy in Bosnia was driven by humanitarian — not strategic — concerns and that it therefore was prudent not to overextend the U.S. commitment.

But the administration's caution has been a big factor in causing the European allies to question whether President Bill Clinton is moving too far in the direction of withdrawing from a leadership role in global affairs.

The UN Security Council has passed a resolution calling for establishment of safe areas, but it left unanswered many questions about how the plan would be implemented and enforced. For that reason, U.S. officials said, Mr. Christopher hopes to take a leading role — first in a meeting here Wednesday with foreign ministers of the European Community and then when he goes on to Athens — to push for a definition of what the U.S.-proposed aerial protection role should involve.

The senior official said that during the week-end Mr. Christopher sent a letter to the other foreign ministers of the 16-nation NATO alliance proposing that NATO join in taking responsibility for aerial protection of the Bosnia safe areas.

U.S. officials declined to give details, but they hinted that Mr. Christopher will seek a commitment from other NATO members to join in expanded aerial operations over Bosnia.

NATO already has taken responsibility for See NATO, Page 2

U.S. Envoy Hits Hard In Germany Against Attacks on Foreigners

Agence France-Press BERLIN — The U.S. ambassador to Germany, Robert M. Kimmit, hit out in unusually strong language Tuesday at racist violence in Germany, saying it was "unacceptable in a modern democracy."

Speaking after Turkish homes and businesses were the targets of further arson attacks overnight, Mr. Kimmit said in a farewell speech here that whatever difficulties faced Germany, "such violence is simply unacceptable in a modern democracy, where tolerance is an important element."

The ambassador, who leaves his post in August after a two-year stint in Germany, told a meeting of the Aspen Institute for International Relations that "the Germans, government representatives and citizens alike, must make it understood" that racist violence "is not acceptable and will be punished very harshly."

In several cities in the West, too many homes of foreigners were set on fire, as were two restaurants run by Turks, leaving several people hospitalized with smoke inhalation problems, the police said Tuesday. These were the latest incidents after the deaths of two Turkish women and three children in an arson attack on their home in Solingen on May 29.

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Haitian Prime Minister Quits Post PORT-AU-PRINCE (Combined Dispatch) — Prime Minister Marc Bazin resigned Tuesday as his political and military support crumbled.

Mr. Bazin's dismissal of four Socialist ministers Friday prompted the Socialist Party to withdraw support. The Christian Democratic Party dropped its backing on Friday. Sources said the army, which appointed Mr. Bazin in 1992, had abandoned him.

The president deposed by the military in 1991, Jean Bertrand Aristide, said in Nicaragua that he hoped he would now be able to return to Haiti. (AFP, Reuters)

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Will California Be Divided Into 3 Parts?

By Jerry Gillam Los Angeles Times Service SACRAMENTO, California — For the first time in more than 130 years, the state Assembly will consider a measure that could lead to dividing California into separate states.

That bit of history was assured Monday when a key Assembly committee approved legislation to ask voters in a nonbinding election what they think about dividing the state into Northern, Central and Southern California.

For decades, separatists have launched similar split-the-state movements, but none has gained serious support since 1859.

Then, both houses of the legislature approved, and the governor signed into law, a bill to divide California into two states. It was sent to Congress, but was abandoned because of the Civil War.

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Settle Down and Firm Up

Well, it was quite a weekend. The talking heads, the politicos, the Democrats in Congress all unloaded. Call it The Weekend Everyone Gave Up on Bill Clinton.

It is worth remembering that there have been other watershed moments in the annals of presidential haplessness. There was the time people realized that George Bush was not going to perform the presidency that Peggy Noonan had written for him.

Democrats in Trouble

As a result of Saturday's special Senate election in Texas the Republicans now hold both Texas seats. Kay Bailey Hutchison's 2-to-1 victory over interim Senator Bob Krueger was not just a landslide, it was a blow-out.

hopeful nation will see in some modest piece of good luck the plottings of a renaissance political genius. But Mr. Clinton has to slow the accident rate enough for this to happen. Toward that end, in all seriousness, it is time to get a staff that is more gifted at damage control than at damage creation.

It may be that everyone around Mr. Clinton is full of wit and virtue. The point is that the nation does not think they know what they are doing. It is time to bring on the gray eminences, and it would not hurt for them to be Democrats — new ones, old ones, whatever — but Democrats, just to indulge the voters who thought they were kicking out the Republicans for good cause.

Other Comment

The Chinese Asylum Seekers The decision by the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service to put Chinese asylum seekers in custody while their claims are heard, rather than let them escape into the sweatshops of America's Chinatowns, will not be enough to stem the tide.

For a New Strategy To Preserve Bosnia

By Joseph R. Biden Jr. The writer, a Democrat from Delaware who chairs the Senate subcommittee on European Affairs, recently visited Bosnia, Croatia and Serbia.

WASHINGTON — The West has dithered so pathetically, and Bosnia has suffered so terribly, that Bosnian leaders are justifiably suspicious of the new "joint action program" approved last Friday by the United Nations Security Council in response to Belgrade's grab for a Greater Serbia.

The overall UN goal should be a steady expansion — from protected provinces toward the six "safe areas" — of Bosnian territory within which principles of democracy and minority rights would be upheld.

OPINION



U.S. Leadership Can Still Make a Crucial Difference

By Frederick Bonhart

BRUSSELS — The international community is being given a third opportunity to steer the conflict in Bosnia-Herzegovina to a close. But it is again likely to miss its chance. Each effort is considerably more onerous than the last, and the cost is increasing sharply.

economic and political pressure to ensure compliance with human rights and protection of minorities. The cost would have been negligible. The second opportunity would have been a massive deployment of ready forces when trouble began. The conflict had clearly been expected; its instigators were looking over their shoulders like guilty children caught in some naughty game.

ring bands. Without a political solution there can be no issue, and the situation risks dragging on as in Cyprus or degenerating into a new Lebanon. The Security Council resolution could, however, be interpreted to mean Bosnia. A unified military command under the one international organization capable of providing it could ensure full protection of the safe areas.

Combined with strict enforcement of sanctions and adequate barriers to the supply of war materials to the combatants, it could bring a valid ceasefire and a return to the negotiating table. But sufficient land forces would be required.

Serbs Are Right to Laugh at the West's Posturing

By Michel Jobert

PARIS — Incoherency and cruelty have tragically characterized the intervention of the European and world communities in the Balkan drama. As a former foreign minister of France, I was recently asked to describe the international decision-making process in the pages of a scholarly review.

The hole-ridden embargo imposed a year ago and recently renewed, with great solemnity, by the United Nations has been limited in its effect to Bosnia, the victim.

wise known as "Better than Nothing" be taken seriously, despite the enigmatised and hypocritical involvement of five powerful nations? What are the luminescent prospects opened by the plan? It would entreat to 15,000 Europeans and Canadians bearing the UN flag the burden of protecting six so-called safe havens around cities in which two-thirds of the surviving Muslim population, or about 1.2 million persons, is trapped. U.S. Air Force jets would come to the aid of the UN troops at their request, but would not defend the Bosnians.

refused the consequences of Vance-Owen and then supported it, has abandoned it again, not wanting to commit ground troops and because the Europeans will not accept the idea of lifting the arms embargo on Bosnians. As a member of the French Parliament whispered, "They're going to carve up Bosnia the way they carved up Czechoslovakia" in 1938. The observation comes a bit late. The Serbs and Croats have already made their appetite for carving well-known.

Give These Chinese Heroes a Parade

By A. M. Rosenthal

NEW YORK — Let them in, those heroes from China, those men and women who sought the beautiful land. Let them out of detention as swiftly as possible and then treat them with the courtesy, dignity and respect their brave hearts merit — that is what America should do for its own soul's sake.

the law to let them in. President George Bush gave asylum to Chinese who had been in this country at the time of the 1989 uprising in Tiananmen Square. Isn't there a good case for President Bill Clinton to give amnesty to those who came after the crackdown?

Clinton-Christopher approach to foreign affairs had become clear well before Mr. Tarnoff's remarks. That approach does indeed recognize the global role that the United States has pursued since World War II. It prefers multilateral arenas, agreements and actions. It reflects the domestic preoccupations of the new president.

sentenced to 18 months imprisonment for having plotted to destroy munitions destined for the Allies. The State Department gives Germany a sharp hint that if reprisals are resorted to they will be interpreted as an invitation to take action with regard to the large number of German subjects in the United States.

We ought to spend less time worrying about keeping Chinese refugees out and more about fixing up the law to let them in.

down Broadway to City Hall with them, and tell them to come and see him personally if anybody tries to squeeze blackmail money out of their four months at sea.

That does not prevent us from having asylum laws that are generous enough and flexible to deal with a specific human reality — the desire to break free from Communist oppression, toward America. We always took that for granted and said we understood.

1893: Royal Absentee? BERLIN — The unreliability of the report that the Kaiser will attend the English Royal wedding may be gauged from the fact that His Majesty intends to both open and close the new Reichstag in person. He has made no arrangements that would cause him to make a prolonged absence from Berlin until a final decision on the Military Bill has been arrived at.

1918: No Spy Exchange WASHINGTON — The State Department has given a refusal to Germany's demand for the leading German spy, Rintelen, freed in exchange of Siegfried London, represented as a United States citizen and detained in Germany on a charge of espionage. Germany had proposed that the exchange be made, threatening reprisals if its demand were refused. Rintelen was arrested in England, sent to America at the request of the Washington Government and

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The Carter-Like Profile Worries Them Abroad

By David S. Broder

WASHINGTON — In less than five months in office, Bill Clinton has succeeded in uniting the NATO allies along with the leaders of the major trading nations and the former Soviet empire. They are united in their dismay at what they see happening to America's president and America's capacity to lead.

To understand why, you have to make a mental adjustment that I found difficult. You have to see the United States not as most Americans do, as a nation beset by problems and maybe headed down the chute, but as a citadel of economic and political strength in a world of stumbling economies and faltering leaders.

who have spent their lives trying to construct a more open, liberal and prosperous international system. Mr. Clinton's election was warmly welcomed just seven months ago. There was no antagonism to George Bush; his leadership on international matters was admired. But officials in other countries understood that he and his party had seen their political backing erode and their agenda become exhausted.

False Gods of Journalism Today

By Frances Lear

NEW YORK — Time magazine's June 7 cover, "The Incredible Shrinking President," is the state of the art for American journalism. Missing are the bullet, the blood and the pornographic embrace, and an honest admission from the editors that the messenger is not above killing the message.

American tradition once included pride in work, a built-in responsibility to the consumer, a commitment to the welfare of a larger community. Those tenets and more are absent from most of America's media companies.

The press has gone mad with power. The great American mind-set of fairness seemed larger than any computerized sum — and it was — but management's addiction to numbers has distorted reason. The old-fashioned dedication to keeping high the level of thought in the nation has lost its way.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Our Failure to Help Bosnia Will Mean Lasting Shame

Even if the world had to put a million soldiers into Bosnia, it would be the right thing to do. I am ashamed to be English, ashamed to be European and ashamed to live in America.

arms race on all sides and the perpetuation of the war. But we must then defend those to whom we refuse self-defense. DANIEL GAUTHIER, Notre Dame de l'Île Perrot, Canada.

implicated in the "ethnic cleansing" of Croatian Catholics? Does anyone seriously believe that America would not intervene in Bosnia if that country's leading export were petroleum?

"Saving Kosovo" means in essence saving world peace. ANDRE S. MEYER, Belp, Switzerland.

ma that were wiped out in January when Muslim forces launched a huge offensive to "cleanse" the area of its Serbian inhabitants.

humane in the short term, would be to acknowledge openly the inevitability of Greater Serbia (with all due clucking of mild disapprobation), and get on with the task of resettling "cleansed" Croats in an appropriately amputated Croatia, and "cleansed" Muslims in whatever rump enclave is conceded to them.

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# In Italy, Corruption Scandal Recasts the Political Map

By Alan Cowell  
New York Times Service

ROME — It is now almost a year and a half since Italy's corruption scandal erupted, and hundreds of prominent business executives and politicians, some of them giants of Italian public life, have been humiliated or ruined by the flow of revelations from the marble halls of the Palace of Justice here.

Not only has the scandal touched virtually every political party and state corporation, but it has also demonstrated the hollowess of Italy's economy, where hundreds of millions of dollars — some say billions — have been wasted in payoffs and other bribes.

As local elections showed on Sunday, the damage wrought to the established parties has been cataclysmic.

The upheaval fueled by the scandal goes deeper, however, since it has redefined Italy's political geography and raised the possibility of fragmentation after the Cold War politics that cemented the influence of the country's traditional power-brokers.

In Sunday's vote, the insurgent Northern League took more than 40 percent of the ballot in Milan, the highest recorded poll for a single party in the city's modern history. At the same time, the vote strengthened former Communists in central Italy while leaving the south in disarray, reinforcing the sense that the country is confronting a three-way political split between north, center, and south.

The damage caused by the scandal has been equally dramatic among the business elite, once the princes of an economy that barreled through the 1980s to make Italy the world's fifth industrial power. This was a rags-to-riches story that now seems to have been composed, in part, on the myth that the boom was built on inventive free enterprise rather than an unholy alliance between business and politics that denied the very notion of competition.

Economists and other analysts, moreover, believe that the country's putative political transformation will be incomplete without economic change to turn much of the vast state sector, accounting for up to one half of all economic activity, into private hands, thereby taking part of the nation's huge pork-barrel away from the politicians.

"Public opinion is beginning to realize that one of the ways out of Tangentopoli is to reduce the scope of economic activity directly controlled by the state," said Claudio Dematte, a professor at the Bocconi Business School in Milan, referring to the scandal by its Italian nickname, meaning Bribe City.

The scandal has already taken its toll throughout the business world.

Two of the richest and most powerful businessmen, Giovanni Agnelli of Fiat SpA and Carlo De Benedetti of Olivetti SpA, have been forced to make humiliating admissions of collusion between their managers and corrupt politicians. The heads of the two biggest state corporations, Franco Nobili, of IRI, a vast holding company, and Gabriele Cagliari, chairman of ENI, the state energy giant, are in prison.

As the investigation has progressed, with 800 people under arrest or being investigated in Milan and up to 1,700 more facing accusations elsewhere, the inquiry has also raised questions as troubling and intriguing as the scandal itself.

How, for instance, will it ever end? As investigators recently reported, even a contract in Turin for the maintenance of voting booths was awarded only in return for a kickback.

When will those who stand accused face trial? And how will Italy's creaking legal system cope with the tide of cases when, by hallowed tradition, it moves so slowly that judgments can be deferred for years?

Since the scandal broke in February 1992, the head of virtually every major political party has been forced to quit. Five former prime ministers have been called before the magistrates. Parallel investigations have drawn connections between a corrupt political elite and organized crime, including the Mafia in Sicily and the Camorra in Naples.

The picture that has emerged is one of a business community that, as one Milan executive said, "drew great benefit from the system," and a political elite "that thought it was omnipotent." No public business, from foreign aid to highway contracts, was conducted without bribes.

"It was endemic," said Mr. Dematte. "It was impossible to be a politician without having to tap resources that were illegal and it was almost impossible to do certain types of business without having to pay. It had become almost a habit. You were considered out of touch with reality if you didn't pay."

The investigations so far, said Gherardo Colombo, a leading magistrate, have identified \$330 million in bribes. Other estimates of the total economic loss from cost overruns on corrupt contracts and tax evasion run into the billions of dollars, according to Mr. Dematte.

Investigators do not believe the end is in sight. "I think this will last for quite a bit longer," Mr. Colombo said. "It's difficult to make forecasts because new lines of investigation keep on opening up suddenly."

The new lines of inquiry, many people believe, were made possible by the remarkable spectacle of business executives and politicians implicating others to reduce the heat on themselves.

In turn, news of their supposedly secret testimony has caused many executives to be labeled guilty without trial because there were publicly served with *avvisi di garanzia*, notices that their rights would be respected while they were under investigation.

In most cases, one manager has accused another while in preventive detention, under which suspects can be held for up to three months without charges or a public hearing.

"Your lawyers tell you to feed the investigators something, just to get out of jail," said a high-ranking executive who spent more than two weeks in prison in Milan after being accused by a business associate of approving illegal donations to a political party.

"So you go through a list of possible things to tell them with your lawyers and you say: 'this, yes; that, no,'" said the executive, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Mr. Colombo reacted testily during an interview when it was suggested that the magistrates had abused preventive detention.

"The law provides for specific cases when preventive detention may be used," he said. "There has to be a very strong sense that a crime has been committed."

He added, "There are three strict conditions: if you think that there's a risk that the evidence will be tampered with, or if you think that a danger that he will commit the crime. We have always respected this. It is not true that preventive detention is used make people talk."

While many business executives now take the same line — that they were forced into bribery — some analysts believe that the attraction of using kickbacks to avoid competition was too great to resist.

Thus, said a Socialist Party official implicated in the scandal, "Some of them were only too happy to collaborate, because when they did, they didn't have to worry about competition: They just took the money."

Mr. Dematte agreed: "In the last 20 years, we had a group of entrepreneurs who went into business principally because they were experts in bribery, not in manufacturing."

# Arson Drives Out Foreigners in 4 German Attacks

Reuters

BONN — A Turkish restaurant and houses occupied by foreigners were attacked by arsonists in four areas of Germany overnight Tuesday, the police said.

There were no serious injuries in the attacks, which have become virtually a nightly occurrence since the firebombing murder of two Turkish women three children in Solingen on May 29 in Germany's worst racist attack.

"These are no longer isolated incidents," Faruk Sen, head of the Center for Turkish Studies at the University of Essen, said in a television interview. "We know that organized crime is being committed. Selected houses are being chosen, mainly where women and children live."

In Wittlich, near Dusseldorf, 14 Turks were hospitalized for smoke inhalation after flammable liquid was sprayed on apartment doors and set afire.

In Frankfurt, a house occupied by families from Turkey and the former Yugoslavia was set on fire. Residents extinguished the blaze, and there were no injuries.

In the northern city of Hamburg, a Turkish restaurant was gutted in a suspected arson attack.

Attackers in Oberhausen-Rheinhausen, near Karlsruhe, hurled two firebombs into a restaurant rented by a Turkish family after smashing the door down, the police said.

Another gasoline bomb was thrown at the family's apartment above the restaurant, which was occupied at the time by the owner's wife and 9-year-old child. Fire fighters put out the flames, and the family was unharmed.

There was also more retaliation from the Turkish community. The police said that about 30 Turkish youths wrecked a bar that they believed was frequented by neo-Nazis in Schwonne, near Bremen.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl, who has been criticized for not attending memorial services for the five Turks killed in Solingen, will make a statement to parliament next week at the start of a debate on racism.

A poll published by the newspaper Die Woche showed that 61 percent of Germans thought long-term foreign residents should be allowed dual nationality. The poll also showed that xenophobia had overtaken unemployment as the subject that worried West Germans most. Twenty-one percent named hatred of foreigners as the country's greatest problem while 17 percent put unemployment first.

The poll showed that support for the far-right Republican Party had fallen to 3 percent since the Solingen killings from 5 percent a week earlier, the weekly newspaper said.

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Vandals desecrated a Jewish cemetery in a town regarded as the capital of Hungary's skinheads, Reuters reported from Budapest.

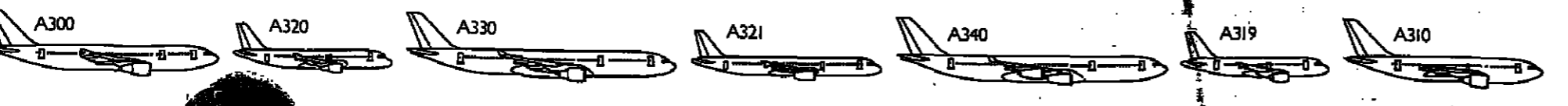
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## Leading AIDS Researcher Criticizes Drug Companies

Reuters

BERLIN — AIDS research priorities are being set largely by pharmaceutical producers and not by scientists, a researcher said Monday at the Ninth International Conference on AIDS.

Dr. Robert Gallo, one of the discoverers of the virus that causes AIDS, said at a news conference that research had become too dependent on funding from drug companies. "We are too dependent on the financial interests of the producers," he said. "We cannot always wait until some pharmaceutical company gets interested."

Dr. Gallo, who works at the U.S. National Institutes of Health, said researchers had to be able to set their own priorities to proceed in new directions against AIDS.

Even though a breakthrough cure is still far away, he said, better coordination between scientists and clinicians and new thinking on priorities for research funding could help speed work on a vaccine.

"We could use a better prioritization of what goes forward," Dr. Gallo said. "It would be helpful if treatments could go directly from the laboratory and not have to wait for one pharmaceutical company, by chance, to show interest in it."

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Bloomberg Business News NEW YORK — Prices closed over on the New York Stock Exchange for a second straight day on Tuesday as the market was buffeted by confusion about the direction of interest rates.

"You have a lot of cross-currents," said Robert Stovall, president of Stovall/First-First Advisors. "There are inflationary fears...

N.Y. Stocks

Gold's down, and oil's up. And over bank stocks rallying. The Dow Jones industrial average dropped 21.59 to 3,510.54, after falling 13 points Monday.

Decliners routed advanced by a 11-to-4 margin on the Big Board moderate trade, with 238 million shares changing hands.

"Everybody's worried about what's going to happen to interest rates," said Philip Smyth, a market analyst at Birmly Associates.

U.S. government securities repped after Federal Reserve officials reinforced expectations that the Fed will raise interest rates, traders said.

All eyes on as Friday, when the government is scheduled to release key wholesale-price figures. The combination of a possible increase in short-term interest rates...

FED: Intervention Slows Yen's Rise

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U.S.-Japanese trade talks set for Friday. "It's hard to see the yen stopping with the talks coming up," said David Kern, chief economist at National Westminster Bank in London.

The dollar has fallen 15 percent against the yen so far this year against the U.S. administration is expected to bolster the yen as a way of urging Japanese exports, by making them more expensive.

Foreign Exchange

The Fed's intervention was meant only to reduce the market's volatility and to slow, not stop, the yen's rise, dealers and analysts said. The Fed intervened several times Tuesday, traders said, but each time on a relatively small scale.

and pessimistic outlooks for companies including Delco Corp. and Apple Computer Inc. are causing investors to question stocks' high price-to-earnings ratios, traders said. "A lot of these high P/E stocks have been carrying the market," said Richard Meyer, director of institutional trading at Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co. "Higher rates don't help any of these stocks because higher rates mean it costs more to borrow to expand. That eats away at earnings."

Delco sank 6 to 39%. It expects to break even in the second quarter after taking a \$65 million pretax charge to close 16 of its 60 check-printing plants and cut about 875 jobs amid increased competition. The news prompted analysts at Piper Jaffray and Goldman, Sachs & Co. to lower their ratings.

Apple Computer dropped 1/4 to 49% after tumbling 4% on Monday. There is concern that slowing sales may force the company to cut prices.

LTV Corp., Novell Inc., L.M. Erickson rights, Apple Computer Inc. and Intel Corp. were the most actively traded stocks on the U.S. composite list.

Novell fell 1/2 to 27. The software maker plans to take a third-quarter charge of about \$300 million, or 95 cents a share, to cover the costs of the acquisition of Unix Systems Labs from American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and other acquisitions.

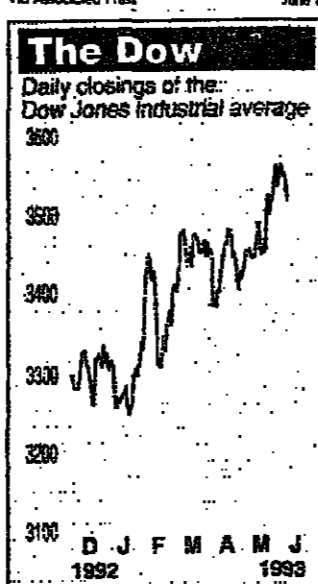


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Foreign Outlay on U.S. Firms at Low

WASHINGTON (AP) — Spending by foreigners to acquire or establish businesses in the United States dropped 47 percent in 1992 from the previous year to a nine-year low of \$13.5 billion, the Commerce Department said Tuesday.

Reasons cited in the department's report included the slow economic recovery in the United States, sluggishness in the economies of investing nations abroad and competition for funds from Eastern Europe and developing countries in Asia and Latin America.

Virginia Shipbuilder Cuts 1,000 Jobs

NEWPORT NEWS, Virginia (Bloomberg) — Reductions in the numbers of submarines and aircraft carriers being built will force Newport News Shipbuilding to lay off another 1,000 workers — about 4 percent of its work force — and close a plant, the company said Tuesday.

The cutbacks also result from delays by the Navy in deciding whether to proceed with its Sealift program, which would convert and build ships to carry cargo.

The layoffs will bring to 6,000 the number of jobs lost at Newport News between the start of 1991 and the end of 1993. The company, a unit of Teaneck Inc., now has a total of about 24,500 employees.

Rhône to Take a Charge of \$77 Million

COLLEGEVILLE, Pennsylvania (Reuters) — Rhône-Poulenc Rohrer Inc. said Tuesday it would take a one-time pretax charge of \$77 million in the second quarter related to restructuring and litigation costs.

The company said it would restructure and streamline manufacturing operations in its German and Italian pharmaceutical businesses. The action follows government moves to limit prescription pharmaceutical volumes and prices in those markets.

Rhône also plans to divert part of its manufacturing plant in Monts, France. It said that the cash outlay would be \$30 million toward the \$77 million provision.

GM, Ford, Chrysler in Research Pact

DETROIT (AP) — General Motors Corp., Ford Motor Co. and Chrysler Corp. said Tuesday they would cooperate on a multimillion-dollar research program to develop lightweight, energy-efficient materials for cars and light trucks.

Research will focus on seven major groups of automotive materials: polymer composites, aluminum, engineering plastics, cast iron, steel, ceramics and advanced metals such as metal-matrix composites, titanium and magnesium.

Wife and Son Ousted in Dart Feud

WASHINGTON (AP) — A family feud took a new turn when Herbert H. Haft, 72, ousted his wife of half a century and his son from the board of the family's retail real estate holdings.

Mr. Haft reshaped the boards of the Maryland-based Dart Group Corp., which includes the Crown Books, Trak Auto and Shoppers Food Warehouse chains. His action follows two months of dispute over whether and when Mr. Haft would relinquish control of the retail and real estate empire to his son.

For the Record

Lotus Development Corp., in a bid to enter the database market, said it would buy Approach Software Corp. (Bloomberg)

Dr. Pepper-Seven-Up Inc. Chairman John Albers said he expected the company to double the industry average in volume sales for the remainder of the century. (Reuters)

Kraft General Foods International signed an agreement with Beijing to produce dairy products in China. (Bloomberg)

Michael Stoney, former deputy managing director of Mirror Group Newspapers, was charged in London with helping the late Robert Maxwell steal millions by falsifying company ledgers. (AP)

Advertisement for Austrian Airlines featuring a large image of an airplane and a person. Text: "A fresh breeze for your West-East Business... Members of the frequent-flyer program Qualifier with a transfer flight out of Vienna will be credited with double miles for the second leg of their journey." Logo: "Welcome To AUSTRIAN AIRLINES".

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30 Day Low High 52 Week Low High

Symbol	Price	Change	Volume
IBM	115.00	+1.00	1,200,000
MSFT	65.00	+0.50	800,000
ORCL	45.00	+0.25	600,000
INTL	35.00	+0.10	400,000
DISC	25.00	+0.15	300,000
WMT	15.00	+0.05	200,000
PG	10.00	+0.02	150,000
KO	8.00	+0.01	100,000
CVX	6.00	+0.03	80,000
BP	5.00	+0.02	70,000
AMZN	4.00	+0.10	60,000
GOOG	3.00	+0.05	50,000
MSFT	2.00	+0.02	40,000
IBM	1.50	+0.01	30,000
ORCL	1.00	+0.01	20,000
INTL	0.80	+0.01	15,000
DISC	0.70	+0.01	10,000
WMT	0.60	+0.01	8,000
PG	0.50	+0.01	6,000
KO	0.40	+0.01	5,000
CVX	0.30	+0.01	4,000
BP	0.20	+0.01	3,000
AMZN	0.15	+0.01	2,000
GOOG	0.10	+0.01	1,000

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# The Japanese PC Is Migrating

## Strong Yen Pushes Computer Production to Taiwan

**Bloomberg Business News**  
TOKYO — With a price war raging at home and the yen daily topping records against foreign currencies, some of the biggest names in Japanese high technology are making plans to shift production of their personal computers to Taiwan.

Fujitsu Ltd., Japan's No. 2 computer maker, is in the midst of negotiations with Taiwan's largest manufacturer, Acer, to build personal computers.

Meanwhile, Sharp Corp. has announced that it will ask Taiwan as well as South Korean companies to produce its next personal computer.

Last week, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., the maker of National and Panasonic brand electronics, said it would import personal computers into Japan made by its subsidiary in Taiwan.

Taiwan offers advantages. The nation boasts a well-established computer and information-systems industry, now No. 6 in the world. While Taiwan's cost of doing business has risen in recent years, it is still well below that of Japan.

"Japanese computer industry costs have risen to the point where for many types of information-industry products, Taiwan is just as efficient or even more efficient," said Colley Huang, deputy director of the Market Intelligence Center, an industry-backed market research organization.

Many Taiwan companies already have established business relationships with their

Japanese counterparts, and it may prove more lucrative with the rise of the yen. As the cost of products overseas falls, the attraction of importing rather than manufacturing at home appeals to Japan's cash-strapped electronics makers.

The pressure will not let up soon. For the year, the yen is up 17 percent against the U.S. dollar.

The Taipei Computer Association plans to hire a market researcher to begin working in Tokyo later this summer, said Nancy Yin, the association's chief of the sales and marketing division. Taiwan last month sent a 250-member trade mission to Tokyo and Osaka, its largest ever to Japan.

The reasons for this migration of personal-computer manufacturing out of high-cost Japan are not difficult to fathom.

Earnings at these companies are under enormous stress, thanks to Japan's three-year economic slump. Meanwhile, personal computer business has come under pressure from the arrival of cheaper U.S. rivals.

Within the Japanese electronics industry, profits fell across the board. Fujitsu posted a loss of 8.7 billion yen (\$82.1 million) in the business year ended March 31.

There is pressure to maintain at least a small presence in the personal computer market. These machines will be the anchor for the multimedia systems that analysts see as the next growth vehicle.

Multimedia — the combination of video, sound and computer technology — is threat-

ening to become one of the industry's leading products over the next few years.

"Japanese electronics companies have to stay in the personal-computer market or they will lose the chance to participate in new technologies," said Makio Imai, industry analyst at Kleinwort Benson Securities.

Japanese computer makers have been drawn into a vicious round of cost cutting after the appearance of cheap personal computers from the United States and Asia.

The war began last year with the arrival of cheap personal computers from Compaq Computer Corp. The U.S. company's entry-level personal computers were introduced at prices as low as \$1,066, about half the cost of the equivalent model made by NEC Corp., Japan's No. 1 computer manufacturer.

International Business Machines Corp. followed Compaq with price cuts of its own. And in early 1993, Dell Computer Corp. launched its range in Japan at prices even cheaper than Compaq.

For Matsushita and Sharp, which hold marginal shares of the Japanese personal-computer market, price competition has further reduced their already small portions of the pie. No exact figures are available for the market share of the two companies, but it was estimated at less than 0.5 percent.

Aside from NEC, Fujitsu and Toshiba Corp. — which control about 75 percent of sales — other Japanese electronics companies make personal computers simply because they need to have some market presence.

# Budget to Fund Stimulus Package Is Enacted in Japan

**Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches**

TOKYO — A supplementary budget of 2.19 trillion yen (\$20.3 billion) became law Tuesday, providing part of the funds for a stimulus package aimed at lifting Japan out of a long economic slowdown.

The House of Councilors, the upper house of the Diet that is controlled by the opposition, voted down the spending plan Tuesday.

But under Japanese law, the lower house has authority over budget matters. That house, where Prime Minister Kiichi Miyazawa's Liberal Democratic Party has a majority, approved the supplementary budget on May 26.

It was the first time in 52 years that Japan had drawn up an extra budget during the 150-day ordinary parliamentary session ending in late June, a Finance Ministry official said.

The supplementary spending comes on top of the 72.35 trillion yen budget already approved by Parliament for the fiscal year that began April 1.

It implements key parts of a 13.2 trillion yen stimulus plan that the government announced in April.

Opposition lawmakers in both

houses objected to the lack of an income-tax cut in the bill. But the Liberal Democrats, worried about shrinking government revenue, have firmly resisted a tax cut.

The supplementary budget includes 1.2 trillion yen for public works, 650 billion yen for equipment and buildings, and 401.7 billion yen for disaster relief.

An additional 100.5 billion yen was earmarked for assistance to small- and medium-size companies and 41.1 billion yen for funds related to aid to Russia.

Separately, Mr. Miyazawa said that Japan might have failed to achieve its official target of 1.6 percent economic growth after inflation in the fiscal year that ended March 31.

The official announcement of Japan's gross national product for the latest fiscal year will come later.

The 1.6 percent target had itself been scaled down from the government's original objective of 3.5 percent growth.

Mr. Miyazawa, however, said at a parliament session that he was confident of achieving the 3.3 percent growth target for the current fiscal year.

(AP, Reuters, AFP)

## Investor's Asia

Exchange	Index	Tuesday Close	Prev. Close	% Change
Hong Kong Hang Seng		7,259.74	7,124.73	+1.89
Singapore Straits Times		1,870.87	1,856.12	+0.78
Sydney All Ordinaries		1,724.10	1,738.50	-0.89
Tokyo Nikkei 225		20,575.24	20,844.18	-1.29
Kuala Lumpur Composite		736.28	728.18	+1.12
Bangkok SET		830.71	827.14	+0.43
Seoul Composite Stock		778.19	768.98	+1.15
Taipei Weighted Price		4,277.42	4,317.00	-0.92
Manila Composite		1,589.86	1,604.17	-0.28
Jakarta Stock Index		382.08	349.43	+0.74
New Zealand NZSE-40		1,656.13	1,656.53	-0.08
Osaka National Index		1,082.50	1,085.10	-0.68

Sources: Reuters, AFP. International Herald Tribune

## Very briefly:

- South Korea will gradually raise its ceiling on stock holdings by foreigners, currently at 10 percent of a company's capital, the Finance Ministry said.
- Woolworths Ltd. of Australia, not related to the U.S. chain, will open its \$1.6 billion share issue to the public on Wednesday.
- Honda Motor Co. will sell recreational vehicles made by Britain's Rover Group Ltd. in Japan under the Honda name beginning in November.
- Fuji Photo Film Co. will acquire Black Photo Corp., with more than 200 outlets in Canada, for \$50.8 million.
- Wing Hung Kee Holdings said it had been approached by an outside party seeking to acquire a stake in the investment company.
- Best Corp. has agreed to sell a 20 percent stake to BSN Groupe in a deal valued at \$10.5 million.
- Shenzhen China Bicycle Co. plans a two-step private B placement to partially offset the indistinct position of its rights issue.

AFP, Reuters, AP, Bloomberg, AFX

# From Hong Kong to China, by Way of Wall Street

**Reuters**  
HONG KONG — Chinese enterprises' thirst for foreign capital has spawned yet another approach to overseas fund raising — a Wall Street listing of China assets by a major Hong Kong investor.

Pioneering the approach is the Hong Kong-based agricultural and industrial conglomerate C.P. Polkphand, which now gets more than half its profit from investments in China.

Polkphand on Monday petitioned the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission to list on the New York Stock Exchange 4.2 million shares of Ek Chor China Motorcycle, a

mainland holding company incorporated in Bermuda that it owns.

The flotation aims to raise \$80 million, said Erwin Go, Polkphand's senior executive, with about \$65 million flowing back to China for expansion of Ek Chor joint ventures.

The chief beneficiary would be Shanghai Motorcycle, equally owned by Ek Chor and Shanghai Automobile Industry Corp., a leading carmaker. Much of the proceeds would go to finance a new Shanghai Motorcycle factory in the city's Pudong district.

The move shows the creativity of China's investment-starved enterprises as they seek

to circumvent the chaotic stock markets in Shanghai and Shenzhen, in southern China, to pursue capital overseas.

Frustrated in its attempts to list its shares in China, Ek Chor is following the lead of Brilliance China Automotive Holdings, the listing vehicle of China's Jimei Automotive that is also incorporated in Bermuda and that in October 1992 carried out the first share flotation in New York by a mainland China concern.

"Ek Chor has been keen to list in Shanghai but has been told it must wait," said a China market analyst, Lawrence Ang of SBCI Fi-

nance Asia. "They thought it would be easier, more convenient and much faster to go to New York after they saw Brilliance get a listing there."

Mr. Ang said he believed this would be the first time a Hong Kong company had raised cash by listing China assets on a major Western exchange, rather than in Hong Kong.

The British colony, however, will continue to dominate China fund raising.

Bilateral agreements to be signed on June 19 will allow Chinese listings in the colony for the first time, easing the pressure on Chinese companies to secure "back-door" access by taking over Hong Kong counters.

# Tough Rules For China's H.K. Listings

**Reuters**

HONG KONG — New rules governing listings of China-incorporated concerns will impose tougher standards than for Hong Kong companies, securities sources said Tuesday.

The rules, part of a regulatory package to be announced this month, will ban directors from buying shares in their own companies, they added.

The announcement of the package, as well as the signing of a China-Hong Kong Memorandum of Regulatory Cooperation in Beijing on June 19, will clear the way for nine state enterprises to start listing shares in Hong Kong.

The new regulations will forbid chief executives, directors and company promoters of the China-incorporated companies that list in Hong Kong to buy their own companies' Hong Kong-listed stock, a securities source said.

# Kader Thailand Calls Fire Its Responsibility

**Agence France-Press**  
HONG KONG — Kader Industrial (Thailand) Co. told the Thai Consulate here by letter Tuesday that it alone was responsible for paying compensation to families and victims of a fire that destroyed its factory in Bangkok last month, leaving 188 people dead and 30 to 40 missing.

The letter followed a visit to the consulate by representatives of Kader (Thailand) workers, who arrived last week to press the company's Hong Kong partner, Kader Industrial Co., to pay more compensation.

"On behalf of Kader (Thailand), I would like to inform all persons involved that Kader (Thailand), not Kader Industri, is fully responsible for all damages and compensations of the deceased and injured work-

ers," said the letter, signed by Pichai Phraomongkol.

"If the workers' representatives want to negotiate, they have to go to negotiate with us in Bangkok, not in Hong Kong," the letter declared.

The letter added that more than 30 million baht (\$1 million) in compensation had been paid to the victims so far.

By the end of June, it added, a further 70 million baht was expected to be paid to families of the victims and to those injured in Southeast Asia's worst industrial tragedy in recent years.

Copies of the letter were distributed by Kader Industrial, a Hong Kong-based multinational toy maker that owns 50 percent of a company that, in turn, holds 80 percent of Kader (Thailand).

# China Scores in Battle With Black Market

**Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches**

SHANGHAI — The decision to float the Chinese yuan in currency swap centers has brought liquidity flooding back into Shanghai's official market and helped curb the activities of speculators, according to a senior official.

Since price ceilings were lifted on June 1, the yuan has plummeted in value by more than 25 percent against the dollar. But Wang Deshun, director of the Shanghai Foreign-Exchange Transaction Center, said late Monday there were now plenty of sellers of the U.S. currency at the new rate.

The yuan closed Tuesday virtually unchanged at 10.4990 to the dollar, compared with an opening of 10.4740. The swap rate, down nearly a third from a little over a week ago when the dollar bought just 8.04

yuan, is now roughly in line with the dollar's black-market value.

Chinese currency dealers are divided on how much further the yuan will decline, but they generally agree it is no longer in a free fall. A dealer with a local bank said he thought the yuan would sink to a floor of about 12 to the dollar.

He acknowledged that before the float the Shanghai swap market, the biggest in China, had become little more than a show where foreign and local companies openly traded currency but later paid the difference between the official swap rate and the black market.

Bucking the trend on the swap markets, Beijing on Friday raised the official rate of the yuan to 5.6957 to the dollar from 5.7147.

(Reuters, Bloomberg)

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of shareholders of GT EUROPE FUND will be held at the offices of Banque Internationale à Luxembourg, Société Anonyme, 69, route d'Esch, L-1470 Luxembourg, on Friday, 18th June, 1993 at 11.00 a.m. with the following agenda:

- To hear and accept the Reports of:
  - The Directors
  - The Auditor
- To approve the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1992 including the Statement of Net Assets as at 31st December, 1992 and Statement of Operations for the year ended 31st December, 1992.
- To discharge the Board of Directors and Auditor with respect of their performance of duties from 1st January, 1992 to 31st December, 1992.
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- To declare a dividend in respect of the year ended 31st December, 1992.
- To approve the payment of Directors' fees of gross \$ 7,000 each.
- Any other business.
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In order to take part at the meeting of 18th June, 1993, the owners of bearer shares will have to deposit their shares five clear days before the meeting with registered office of the company or with Banque Internationale à Luxembourg, 69, route d'Esch, L-1470 Luxembourg.

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TRADE: Tokyo Ready to Reject U.S. Proposals

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### EC: Paris Agrees to Oilseeds Pact

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sentiment" of the EC Commission's proposal for closer economic and political ties. He predicted that European leaders at their summit meeting in Copenhagen on June 21 and 22 would give a "clear signal" that Eastern Europe's future "is with the Community, and within the Community."

The ministers did force the commission to drop a proposal to turn quotas on certain imports from Eastern Europe into ceilings, which would have allowed greater flexibility to increase the flow of Eastern goods. But the plan's call to accelerate the lifting of EC tariffs on most Eastern European products to just two years from four was left intact.

Ministers failed to agree on the precise language the leaders will use to declare their commitment to eventual EC membership for Poland, Hungary, the Czech and Slovak republics, Romania and Bulgaria, but Sir Leon said it would contain a "clear commitment" to membership.

They also have not resolved all the details of closer institutional links between the Community and the six East European countries, officials said.

Ministers were divided on the minor question of how much of the Community's Phare program of aid should be used for infrastructure projects in Eastern Europe, sources said.

### EC Official Says Europe Faces 'Devastating' Crisis

**Stockholm** — Europe is mired in deep political and economic troubles that threaten a return of nationalist economic policies, the European Community's economics commissioner, Henning Christophersen of Denmark, warned Tuesday.

In one of the most gloomy messages yet from the commission, Mr. Christophersen told bankers assembled for an international monetary conference that Europe was facing a crisis "with perhaps devastating consequences for peace and prosperity."

He singled out repeated turmoil in currency markets as a clear sign of the crisis.

Mr. Christophersen said the Community also faced the specter of rising unemployment and growing unrest.

The commission warned Monday that economic recovery was unlikely before the second half of 1994, with unemployment in the 12 EC members set to rise as high as 20 million.

### NASDAQ

**Tuesday's Prices**  
NASDAQ prices as of 4 p.m. New York time. This list compiled by the AP, consists of the 1,000 most traded securities in terms of dollar value. It is updated twice a year.

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# SPORTS ICE HOCKEY

## Canadiens' LeClair Does It Again in OT

### Montreal Wins Its 3d Straight Game To Take a 3-1 Lead Over the Kings

*Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches*  
**INGLEWOOD, California** — The script that has Wayne Gretzky leading the Los Angeles Kings to their first Stanley Cup is headed back to rewrite.

The Montreal Canadiens won their third straight overtime game Monday night, 3-2, for a 3-1 lead in the best-of-seven final. For the second game in a row, John LeClair scored the winning goal, this one with 5:23 left in overtime.

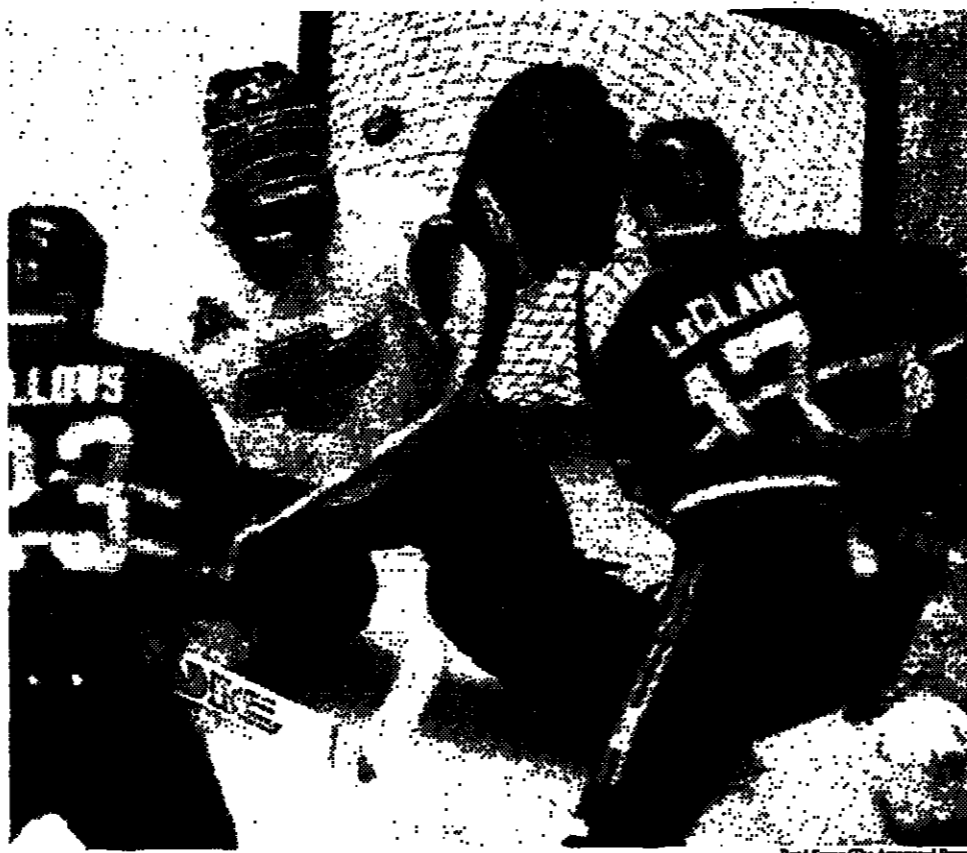
As usual, goalie Patrick Roy was unbeatable in overtime, blocking

seconds to end Game 3, carried the puck down the ice on the left side on a 2-on-1 rush. When he skated wide to shoot, Hrucey came out of his crease to meet him. LeClair's initial shot was stopped by Hrucey as the goalie went down to the ice. But LeClair followed his rebound behind the net and flipped the puck into the slot, where it banked off the Kings' defenseman Darryl Sydor and over the goal line.

LeClair, who thought he was going to get the puck to teammate Stephen Leest, said, "I had pass on my mind all the time. Their defense had been dropping back most of the game and I thought if I could fake a shot 'I could get the defenseman out of position."

"I ended up behind the net with everybody out of the nets," he added. "I tried to jam it in myself and got a little help."

(WP, NYT, AP)



Kelly Hrucey stopped John LeClair in the first period, but had no chance on the shot in the overtime.

#### STANLEY CUP

10 shots and extending his overtime shutout streak in the playoffs to 96 minutes, 39 seconds. He has stopped 58 shots in that span.

Game 5 will be played Wednesday at the Forum in Montreal. If the Kings win there—and they are the only team to do so in the playoffs—then Game 6 will be back in Inglewood on Saturday. If Game 7 is needed, it would be in Montreal.

The Canadiens took a 2-0 lead on an unassisted, first-period goal by Kirk Muller, and a second-period goal by Vincent Damphousse on the power play. But the Kings tied on goals by Mike Donnelly and Marty McSorley, the latter on the power play, and the teams stood even through two periods.

In the second period, McSorley served a 10-minute misconduct penalty for throwing his stick in the direction of the referee. Andy van Hellemond, after Montreal's second goal. A curved-stick penalty against McSorley proved pivotal in Montreal's Game 2 victory; on this infraction, nobody measured the arc of the blade.

Muller got the first goal 10:57 into the first period when he beat Jari Kurri on the faceoff in the left wing circle, pushed the puck through Kurri's skates, scooped it up and beat the Kings' Kelly Hrucey low on the glove side.

Damphousse made it 2-0 at 3:24 of the second period when Mike Keane's shot bounced off the backboard and Damphousse buried the rebound. Donnelly got one goal back at 6:32 of the second period by getting his own rebound and pushing it past Roy on a set up when Tony Granato neatly swiped the puck from Paul DiPietro in the Montreal zone.

Kurri, a veteran who moved from right wing to center this season, has been struggling offensively this series, but he helped set up the tying goal. While rushing the puck up the right side, Kurri was hooked lightly by Brian Bellows but made the most of it, crashing to the ice and convincing van Hellemond to call a hooking penalty.

With five seconds left in the period and the Kings skating with the man advantage, Gretzky finished off a tremendous offensive swarm by circling the net and flipping a backhanded pass to the slot, where McSorley took the puck and fired it home to make it 2-2.

And that's how it stayed until five minutes had been played in overtime.

LeClair, who had needed just 31

## Royals Find Name Of Game Is Same

*The Associated Press*  
**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** — The Kansas City Royals changed the name of their stadium, but not the way they have been playing.

In the first game in renamed Kauffman Stadium, the Royals took advantage of two mistakes in the first inning, Monday night and beat the New York Yankees, 9-3.

The ballpark, called Royals Stadium since it opened in 1973, officially had its name changed before the game to pay tribute to the team

founder and owner, Ewing Kauffman, 76, who recently announced he has been cancer.

"I am honored by it," he said. "It couldn't happen at a better time, when the team's playing the way it is."

The Royals, leading the A.L. West, won for the seventh time in eight games. They are 21-8 since starting the season 10-16.

Brian McRae singled with one out and was picked off by Jeff Johnson, but beat first baseman Kevin Maas's throw to second. Then Wally Joyner hit a high pop that dropped in for a double. By the end of the first inning, the Royals had a 4-0 lead.

Mike Macfarlane and Rico Rossy later homered for Kansas City, as did Bernie Williams, Mike Calogero and Paul O'Neill for New York in the first game at Kauffman Stadium. There had been only 22 home runs hit in 26 games at Royals Stadium this season.

Orioles 3, Athletics 2: Baltimore, playing at home, extended its longest winning streak of the season to five, beating Oakland on David Segui's sacrifice fly in the eighth.

Harold Baines, who had not homered all season, connected for the second straight day for the Orioles.

The Orioles announced that first

baseman Glenn Davis, on assignment to Triple-A Rochester since May 27, had undergone surgery on a jaw broken while he was breaking up a fist fight in Norfolk, Virginia.

Blue Jays 4, Angels 2: Roberto Alomar homered and drove in three runs as Toronto beat visiting California and won for the 18th time in 24 games.

White Sox 7, Tigers 3: Dan Pasqua hit a three-run homer, Frank Thomas hit a two-run drive and Ellis Burks a solo shot to power Chicago past visiting Detroit.

Brewers 5, Mariners 3: B.J. Surhoff, batting .207, hit a bases-loaded triple with two outs in the third inning and Milwaukee, playing at home, beat Seattle.

The Mariners lost their fourth straight game. But their fears about pitcher Chris Bosio, who some thought might have fractured his left collarbone in a fight Sunday in Baltimore, instead has only inflammation and could be pitching again in two to three weeks.

Rangers 5, Twins 2: Dean Palmer and Rafael Palmeiro hit two-run homers as Texas defeated visiting Minnesota.

## Braves' Avery Beats Padres on 4 Hits

*The Associated Press*  
**ATLANTA** — The starting pitching expected from the Atlanta Braves this season may finally be coming together.

Steve Avery pitched a four-hitter for Atlanta's second straight shutout as the Braves beat the Padres, 4-0, Monday night in San Diego. John Smoltz pitched a five-hitter against Los Angeles the day before.

Avery, who won his sixth straight, also had two hits. One was a double in the third inning when the Padres' left fielder, Phil Clark,

#### SIDELINES

### Both Graf and Agassi Seeing Doctors

**LONDON (AP)** — Both Steffi Graf and Andre Agassi, the defending Wimbledon singles champions, have seen doctors, fueling speculation that neither will be playing in this year's tournament.

Graf went to a hospital in Essen, Germany, to receive treatment for her right foot, injured during the French Open quarterfinal against Jennifer Capriati. Her father was quoted Tuesday as saying "she is no way certain to play" at Wimbledon, which starts in three weeks, although her agent said earlier that she intended to play.

Agassi, who didn't play in Paris, flew to Seattle where a specialist who administered a cortisone shot for an ongoing problem with tendinitis in Agassi's right wrist.

### Morrison Beats Foreman on Decision

**LAS VEGAS (AP)** — Tommy Morrison turned a meeting of punches into a boxing match, frustrating a normally calm George Foreman and scoring a unanimous 12-round decision that most likely ended one of boxing's great comebacks.

All three judges favored Morrison, and all by a wide margin, as the former heavyweight champion, 44, always seemed a step slow and a fraction of a second late in throwing his punches in the bout for the lightly regarded WBO title.

#### For the Record

Goran Ivanisevic made a speedy exit Tuesday from the Wimbledon grass court preparation event at Queen's Club when he was beaten in his first match by Chris Wilkinson of England, 6-3 6-6 6-3.

Larry Brown was named coach of the Indiana Pacers, the fifth NBA coaching assignment for Brown, who recently quit as coach of the Los Angeles Clippers.

Michael Brooks, the Pro Bowl linebacker of the Denver Broncos, was signed by the New York Giants for \$3.4 million over three years; they then lifted the transition-player status from Pro Bowl linebacker Carl Banks, freeing him to sign with any team, including the Giants.

#### NL ROUNDUP

Phillies 7, Astros 5: Mariano Duncan extended his hitting streak to 12 games with two triples and a single, driving in three runs, as Philadelphia beat visiting Houston.

Marlins 5, Dodgers 3: Florida won its club record fourth straight as Walt Weiss singled in the go-ahead run in a three-run ninth in Los Angeles.

Reds 12, Expos 3: John Smiley hit four singles in four at-bats, with three RBIs, and pitched an eight-hitter as Cincinnati won in Montreal.

## Night of Turning Points

*International Herald Tribune*  
**BOSTON** — Getting there, and being there, are two distinctly different things. In Foxboro Stadium in the suburbs of Boston on Wednesday, the U.S. national team plays England in a rehearsal for a World Cup to which neither has earned the right to participate next summer.

The United States will be the guests as the host country, England, which has never before missed a World Cup of 24 teams, faces the desperate task of having to win three matches out of three in the autumn. If not, this might be an embarrassing and costly Boston rehearsal with no end product.

American Airlines, having put its sponsorship package behind England, could be left high and dry. Its marketing men, will watch Wednesday's Boston T-purty match with half a mind on a more critical encounter across the Atlantic.

For in Rotterdam, a couple of hours earlier, the Netherlands, shorn of its stars Marco van Basten and Ruud Gullit, meets Norway in a qualifying match vital to English hopes.

Should Norway, which humiliated England in Oslo last week, beat the Dutch, then England might after all be getting realistic practice on the Foxboro field.

Should, as is more likely, the Netherlands win, England's prospects wither. The crux of the matter in Rotterdam centers on Dennis Bergkamp, a wonderful apprentice to the mantle of the severely injured van Basten.

Bergkamp preferred to strike from the shadows of the great Dutch names. Now, ahead of his wish, the responsibility is largely his to inspire Dutch revenge for a 2-1 beating by Norway in Oslo last year.

Nothing in soccer can be taken for granted. The greater the expectation, the more likely we are to see the flaws in "great" performers. England's Paul Gascoigne, not the most contemplative of men, ought now to soberly re-assess his priorities.

Gascoigne, the bright hope of English soccer, the court jester who could invent above his nation's collective dullness, has run into the buffers of sporting middle age.

He is 26, an errant child by nature, a man lacking self-control. Gascoigne is not where England wanted him to be this Wednesday.

He has, in effect, been put on probation for two months, told by England's team manager, Graham Taylor, to sort out his "refueling problem."

Using that euphemism, Taylor implies that Gascoigne eats the wrong food, drinks the wrong drinks, and jeopardizes his own and England's future through overweight and unreliability.

The charge is not without foundation. Gascoigne's taste for alcohol is viewed by some as self-destructive as Diego Maradona's weakness for drugs.

IF IT IS NOT, yet, additive, it comes close. On the eve of England's wretched surrender to Norway, Gascoigne told us that his Italian club, Lazio, had asked him to switch from beer to wine.

"Then they took a look at us, and said, 'You'd better go back to the beer!'"

His self-mockery brought the house down. He admitted he didn't know why his weight ballooned up and then went down.

The joke backfired when Gascoigne, ponderous from the start, played even worse in Oslo than he had in recent matches. Norway put a minder on him, the diminutive Erik Mykland, whose chest is roughly the circumference of one Gazza thigh.

Mykland buzzed around Gascoigne like a mosquito. A recruit of the Norwegian Army, he obeyed orders to stifle the English playmaker, to get under his feet, frustrate him.

After half an hour, Mykland gestured to the bench and his national team manager. "Please sir," he seemed to say, "I think he's had enough. The job's done. Can I play now?"

He certainly could. Mykland, and his midfield partner, Lars Bohinen, are Norwegians whose technique exposes the English blood and thunder game. They master the ball as if they were actually taught in childhood to love it a little, to caress it and not budge it into the sky, English-style.

Their movement and touch bemused England and such was the disheartening effect, such the confusion among Englishmen, that Taylor castigated his players for lacking the basic British quality of fighting football.

Confused minds are tired minds, and tired minds cannot forever propel people around like dervishes. Besides, in a lucky 1-1 draw against Poland in Cho-

row four days previously, England's midfielders had been called by Taylor "headless chickens."

The chickens settled down to roost, and met their passive fate. In the aftermath, Lazio requested that Gascoigne be rested for a month so that he could recuperate from his harrowing year.

He had, the Italians explained, fought like the devil to overcome the injury which necessitated the complete surgical rebuilding of his right knee.

Taylor took the point. He agreed so rapidly we got the impression he is glad of the situation which obliges him to try an alternative to Gascoigne in the "free" role as England's playmaker.

Enter Nigel Clough: clean living, dependable, stoical in the British stiff upper-lip sense, neat and tidy and England's best passer of a ball. Clough lacks the pace Gascoigne once had to get clear of opponents, but has the sense to know that Boston could be his time and place to become more than understudy to a flawed genius.

IN AMERICA, the land of instant quotes, he says nothing. Clough is positively Garboesque, preferring us to first judge his play, then perhaps ask our questions.

Fair enough. But silence is never afforded Gazza. Over in Italy, Dino Zoff, the Lazio team manager, is doubtless concerned about the value of his asset. He sees next season as the most decisive in Gascoigne's career. The start of the new team will possibly make or break his future, and Zoff angrily takes odds with Taylor.

"If Taylor expected Gazza to come straight back as England's inspiration he was being unrealistic," insists Zoff. "Paul has done all that could be expected of him after his injury. I anticipated the highs and lows, which why I took care not to over-praise or over-criticize him."

Lazio's team doctor, Claudio Bartolini, weighed in with his clinical assessment that the player's comeback had been a triumph, that he is not concerned about Gascoigne's weight, that beer has been an intrinsic habit which, in moderation, helps feed the body.

Moderation. The word is a stranger to Gascoigne, but it could be his savior.

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## Lineker Breaks Toe

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**GARY LINEKER**, the former England striker who is the highest paid player in the new I-League, will be out of action for at least six weeks with a broken toe, his club said Tuesday in Tokyo.

A spokesman for the Nagoya Grampus Eight said doctors had confirmed that Lineker sustained a stress fracture of the second toe on his left foot during a match last Saturday.

"It will take him six weeks to recover so we expect him to be out of action for longer than that," the spokesman added.

It was the latest blow in what has so far proved an unhappy first season for Lineker and Grampus in the a 10-club league launched May 15.

Before he limped off during Saturday's 2-0 defeat by the lowly Osaka Gamba, Lineker had scored just one goal in six matches.

Ally McCoist, the striker for Glasgow Rangers, has won the Adidas Golden Boot, awarded to Europe's leading goalscorer, for the second season in a row by beating out Vasilis Dimitriadis of AEK Athens, 34 goals to 33.

Gianluigi Gulinari, a goalkeeper for Udinese, and Napoli before that, has been interrogated by police in Trieste, Italy, in connection with a drug investigation, the news agency ANSA reported.

The U.S. team has hired agent Leigh Steinberg to represent it with the U.S. Soccer Federation. Steinberg, who represents Troy Aikman and many other top quarterbacks in the National Football League, as well as several star baseball players, said he will meet later this week with the USSF's president, Alan Rothenberg. Players have been unhappy for several years over their share of marketing money.

"They approached me a couple of months ago," Steinberg said. "This sport has a golden opportunity to catch fire in America, and this is their real window of opportunity."

(Reuters, AFP, AP)

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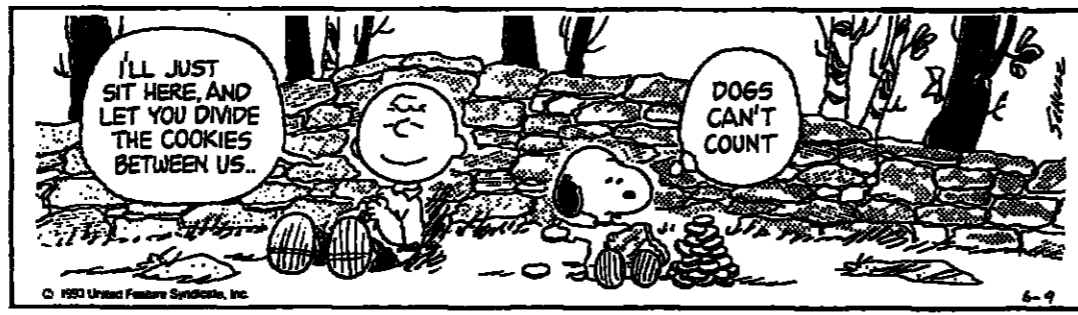


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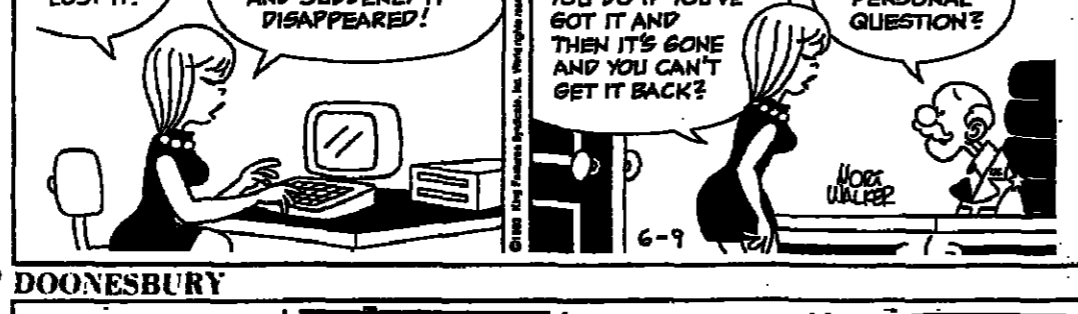
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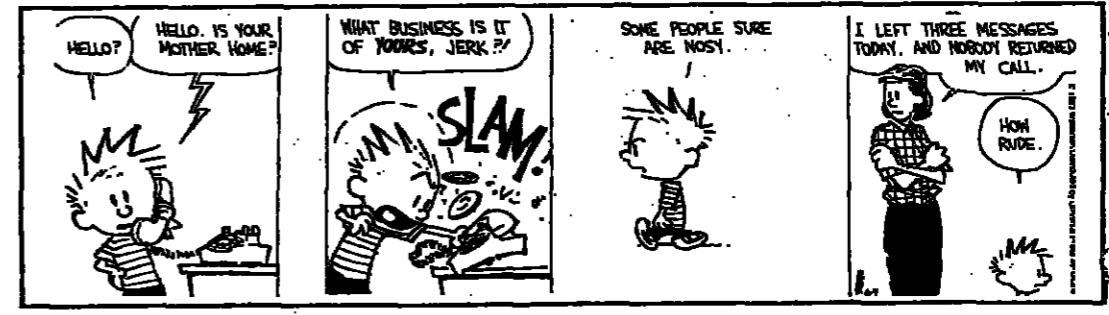
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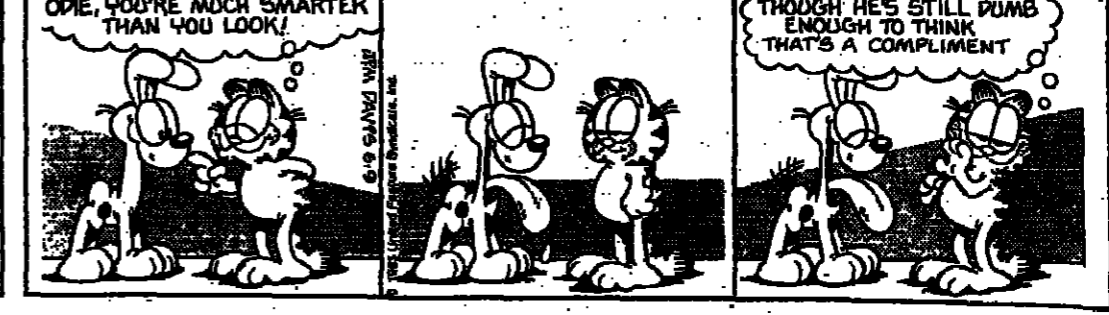
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Drazen Petrovic: "An incredible loss"



Firemen stand next to the car in which Petrovic was killed when it hit the track on rainy highway between Nuremberg and Munich.

Petrovic Dies in Car Crash in Germany

Instantly When Auto Hits Truck

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches
FRANKFURT — Drazen Petrovic, who left Europe to become one of the top shooting guards in the National Basketball Association, was killed instantly when the car in which he was riding swerved out of control on a rain-slicked road and slammed into a truck, the police said Tuesday. He was 28.

NBA Star From Croatia Is Killed

to brake suddenly and lose control, slamming through a median rail and hitting the truck. Petrovic, who had the NBA's New Jersey Nets in scoring last season, had just finished playing for the Croatian national team in a special qualifying tournament in Wrocław, Poland.

The Croatian team, led by Petrovic, won the silver medal in Barcelona.

The team had advanced to the June 22 European championships in Germany. It had returned to Zagreb for 10 days to practice for the Mediterranean Games in France. The Croatian Basketball Federation, which was meeting Tuesday night, was expected to withdraw the team from that competition. Some of the older players told Miro Copic, a reporter in Split, that "it is impossible for us to play without Drazen, at least for some time."

"He was the heart of our basketball," said Cibona's manager, Darko Marjanovic. "The NBA commissioner, David Stern, issued a statement that read: 'Drazen was an extraordinary young man and a true pioneer in the global sport of basketball. Hopefully, a lasting part of his athletic legacy will be that he paved the way for other international players to compete successfully in this league.'"

Petrovic averaged 22.3 points on 52 percent shooting and was one of the league's top 3-point shooters last year, when he was selected a third-team NBA All-Star. However, his contract with the Nets had expired and Petrovic was upset that the club did not offer him a new contract until March. After the Nets were eliminated by Cleveland in the first round of the playoffs, Petrovic said he probably would play in Europe next season.

"I took a chance, played the whole year without a contract," he said at the time. "I have to do what's best for me and now definitely more money is coming from Europe. A lot more."

The Nets' offer reportedly was \$15 million for five years, one that would have made Petrovic second only to Michael Jordan on the pay scale among shooting guards.

Petrovic was acquired by the Nets on Jan. 23, 1991, from the Portland Trail Blazers for a first-round draft pick in 1992.

He averaged 12.6 points in 61 games after the trade, boosted his output to 20.6 points the following year, then led the Nets in scoring this season.

He sprained knee ligaments during a game in March and was sidelined almost a month. A workhorse on and off the court, Petrovic led the Nets by averaging 38 minutes. As usual, his shooting was spectacular. He made 75 of 167 from 3-point range, 45 percent.

The son of a police chief, Petrovic first learned to shoot at the age of 10 while growing up in Sibenik, an industrial port city of about 80,000 on the Adriatic Sea.

He modeled his game on NBA players, watched on Italian television, which was picked up in Sibenik.

Two months after his 15th birthday he became the youngest player to score in a Yugoslav club game.

Petrovic was heavily recruited by Notre Dame as a 19-year-old, but he decided to remain in Europe. During the 1984-85 season, he scored 112 points in a Croatian League game, making 40 of 60 shots from the field.

Petrovic played two seasons with the Yugoslav national team before joining Real Madrid of the Spanish League for the 1988-89 season. Despite finishing second behind Barcelona, Real Madrid won the '89 European Cup.

Petrovic signed with Portland, but didn't get a chance to play until Real Madrid allowed him to buy out the final three years of his contract for a reported \$1.5 million. (AP, UPI, Reuters)

SCOREBOARD

Monday's Line Scores

Table showing baseball line scores for Monday's games, including AMERICAN LEAGUE and NATIONAL LEAGUE results.

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Table showing Major League Standings for the National League.

TOUR OF ITALY

Results Tuesday in the 14th stage, a 187 kilometer (115 miles) stretch from Lamezia Terme to Castelluccio di Stabia. The leader, Italian, MG Modigliani-Bianchi, leads by 22 minutes, 46 seconds over 42,573 km (26,451 miles) in 52 stages. The race is currently being broadcast on Italian television.

Stanley Cup Playoffs

Monday's Game: Montreal 1, Boston 1. Game 2: Montreal 3, Boston 1. Game 3: Montreal 2, Boston 1. Game 4: Montreal 1, Boston 1. Game 5: Montreal 1, Boston 1.

Today's Business Message Center advertisement.

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OBSERVER

Advice for Bill Clinton

By Russell Baker
NEW YORK — Instructions for a president:
1. Know yourself. You may not have peaked too soon, but you have certainly peaked very young.

for a lecture on the origins of the Peloponnesian War.
8. Quit doing George Bush's things. Moving to the center was George Bush's thing.

The Bad Boy Writer of Battle Creek

By Molly O'Neill
New York Times Service

BATTLE CREEK, Michigan — Two elderly men in flannel shirts gaped up from their fried eggs and grits as the writer T. Coraghessan Boyle pushed through in his knobby pine door of LaVerne's Family Restaurant in Battle Creek, Michigan.



Author T. Coraghessan Boyle in Battle Creek, Michigan, the scene of the crime.

figs, the Japanese seafood delicacy that either transports or kills. In book after book, he treats a tenuous line.
"Tom fascinated by Kellogg, who was the ultimate controller of appetite," said Boyle, who by his own admission "loved the cafeteria food in elementary school, graduated to a diet of beer, burgers and fries at college."

"auto-intoxication." People were killing themselves with porthouse steaks and drink. And a regular regimen of enemas, calisthenics, sexual abstinence, mild electroshock treatment and laugh therapy could cure even the most errant sinner.
"Dr. Kellogg believed in the perfectibility of man," Boyle said, eyeing the grits embossed with butter that had appeared on the table.

PEOPLE

Rock 'n' Roll Museum Is Launched — At Last

A rock 'n' roll heaven: After much delay and several refinancings, the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame Museum has finally been launched. Pete Townshend played air guitar on his shovel and Chuck Berry showed off his famous footwork as they helped break ground for the \$84 million museum in Cleveland.

But is there a country heaven? Alan Jackson dethroned Garth Brooks as entertainer of the year and repeated as male artist of the year at the TNM Music City News Country Awards in Nashville, Tennessee.

The Marquess of Elandford, the bad boy of the British aristocracy, was charged Tuesday with assaulting two policemen who arrested him for overdue support payments to his wife.

CROSSWORD

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and solutions. Clues include: 1 Hammett catlike, 2 Western Indian, 3 One of Hofmann's loves, 4 Coral formation, 5 Sicilian smoker, 6 Salinas of 'Mafia Salagos', 7 'Stride' — 'Anvil Chorus' follower, 8 Show pleasure, 9 Network for earnings, 10 Printemps month, 11 Maestro from Parma, 12 Sound the horn, 13 Approps of 18 Teer, 14 Zero, 15 Dadaist Jean, 16 'Maurit' tenor role, 17 'Pirata' composer, 18 Love to Marion, 19 Designer Cassini, 20 Proficulous, 21 Amabile, 22 Bad day for Casser, 23 Mezzo Stevens, 24 Versatile Met mezzo, 25 Coral formation, 26 Sicilian smoker, 27 Salinas of 'Mafia Salagos', 28 'Stride' — 'Anvil Chorus' follower, 29 Show pleasure, 30 Network for earnings, 31 Printemps month, 32 Maestro from Parma, 33 Sound the horn, 34 Approps of 18 Teer, 35 Zero, 36 Dadaist Jean, 37 'Maurit' tenor role, 38 'Pirata' composer, 39 Love to Marion, 40 Designer Cassini, 41 Proficulous, 42 Amabile, 43 Bad day for Casser, 44 Mezzo Stevens, 45 Russian wolfhound, 46 Chang leader, 47 Part of R.S.V.P., 48 Pivotal, 49 John in Moscow, 50 Hudson heroine, 51 Trousers parts, 52 Baseball's Slaughter, 53 Tackle's place, 54 Order on the set, 55 Brew ending, 56 Spelling contest.

WEATHER

Weather forecast section including maps of Europe, Asia, and North America, along with temperature and precipitation data for various regions.

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BOOKS

"Franks," James Whale's "Frankenstein," and Rouben Mamoulian's "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." "The Monster Show" confirms its discussion largely to the evolution of the horror film in the 20th century.

BEST SELLERS

Table of best-selling books. Columns include: Rank, Title, Author, Weeks on List, and Last Week's Rank. Titles include 'The Bridges of Madison County', 'The Client', 'The Way Things Ought to Be', etc.

THE MONSTER SHOW: A Cultural History of Horror

By David J. Skal. 384 pages. \$25. Norton.
Reviewed by Stefan Dziemianowicz
LIKE the monsters by which it's known, the horror genre is big and intimidating. Critics who wish to study horror's enduring appeal find themselves confronting a multifaceted entity with a firm grip on fiction, film, television, comic books and other media.

Large advertisement for AT&T USA Direct Service. Features a stylized globe graphic and the text: 'Speed up the approval process. AT&T USA Direct Service. Your Express Connection to AT&T Service. Just dial the access number of the country you're in. For additional access numbers, call collect: +1 212 553-7458, Ext. 606.' Includes a table of international access numbers for various countries.